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## Easter Services

BLAIRMORE UNITED CHURCH

The parents and friends of the children of the Junior Sunday school are cordially invited to meet with the children on Easter Sunday at eleven o'clock in the Sunday school room.

The regular Easter Service will be held in the church at 12 noon on Sunday. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed at the close of this Service to which all members are cordially invited.

Easter Cantata, "From Darkness to Light", will be presented by the choir in the church at 7:30 o'clock. The music for this Cantata is based on themes by Peter Tchaikovsky and is under the direction of Mr. J. Boorman.

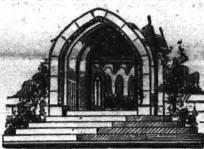
## TELEPHONES FROM JAPAN

Stationed at O-saka, Japan, for nearly two years, Lieutenant Nina Passmore U.S. Army, telephoned her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Passmore, Cranbrook BC, Friday morning to tell them of her return home. It is believed to be the longest distance call ever received here and was put through promptly at 4 a.m. after advance notification by 12 hours that it would.

"Daddy, what is leisure?" asked the child.

"My boy, leisure is the two minutes' rest a man gets while his wife thinks up something for him to do."

Unless I am sorry enough to quit when I do wrong, I will soon quit being sorry.



"Serve the Church that the Church May Serve You."

## CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH

BLAIRMORE

Rev. James McKelvey, Minister

Services Sunday next:

11.00 a.m., Senior school.

2.00 p.m., Junior school.

7.30 p.m., Public Worship.

## ST. LUKE'S CHURCH,

BLAIRMORE

(Anglican)

Easter Sunday

Holy Eucharist 11:00 a.m.

Church School cancelled this Sunday

## SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN

Captain and Mrs. T. Smith,

Officers in charge.

Sunday services:

11 a.m., Holiness meeting.

2.30 p.m., Directory class.

8 p.m., Sunday school.

7.30 p.m., Salvation meeting.

Tuesday: 7.30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.

Thursday: 8 p.m., Praise meeting.

Funerals, dedications and marriages on application to the local officers.

## HILLCREST UNITED CHURCH:

Services every Sunday at 12 noon.

BELLEVUE UNITED CHURCH:

Services at 7.30 p.m. every Sunday.

COWLEY UNITED CHURCH:

Services alternate Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock.

**MOUTHS WATER** when the fragrance of Maxwell House fills the air. This wonderful blend of coffees is Radiant Roasted to develop to the full all its extra goodness.



KATHLEEN KIDD

Acting the role of anybody from a brazen Cockney barnmaid to a haughty French countess is at a day's work of Kathleen Kidd, radio actress. Her versatile voice is heard in the series "These English" on Fridays at 8:30 p.m. MST, on the CBC Tri-Canada network as well as in "Stage 48" "Cuckoo Clock House" and many other CBC programs. Miss Kidd was born in London, England and before coming to Canada in 1937 acted in numerous musical comedies. On this continent she has appeared in Toronto Winnipeg Boston and New York stock companies, in Hollywood films and during the war toured Allied camps in the Pacific Region as an entertainer with ENSA.

## U.I.C. Committee Meet at Winnipeg

A meeting of the Prairie Regional Employment Committee was held in Winnipeg March 15 and 16. This committee is established under the provisions of the Unemployment Insurance Act. It convenes every second month to discuss problems relative to employment and unemployment insurance as well as to act in an advisory capacity to Fred J. White, Regional Superintendent of the Unemployment Insurance Commission.

Present beside the regular members at this meeting were Mr. J. G. Bissan, Chief Commissioner of the UIC and W. K. Rutherford, Director of Employment Service, Ottawa. Members of the Prairie Regional Employment Committee include representatives from organized labor, management, women's organizations Canadian Legion and agricultural association. Chairman of the Employment Committee is Dean F. C. Cronkite, Dean of Law, University of Saskatchewan; in his absence, however, this meeting was under the Chairmanship of Mr. H. Albright, Winnipeg.

Many vital topics were discussed, relating both to employment and unemployment insurance. There was a full discussion on the difficulties encountered by National Employment offices in providing suitable jobs for handicapped persons or others difficult to place in employment. Every possible effort is being made by NES to increase its service to the public and all offices are actively engaged in placing handicaps into the best positions for which they are suited.

Fred J. White, Regional Superintendent of the UIC addressed the meeting on Tuesday with a full report of the employment conditions now existing in the Prairie Region. Mr. White stated that these conditions were now at the pit of their annual slump. In the very near future the weather would improve to such an extent that outdoor work could be resumed and much of the slack taken up in the labor market. In comparison with other years the winter of 1947-48 has been most favorable. At no time added Mr. White was there more than 3 per cent of the labor force of the prairie region registered for employment. One of the most indicative factors present in the statistics supplied by Mr. White was the fact that the people drawing unem-

## Bellevue Curling Club Easter Bonspiel

The annual Easter spiel of the Bellevue Curling Club, staged on artificial ice, got underway at 8 a.m. this morning. Following is the entry list this year:

Allen, Olds; Dicken, Fernie; Gow, Barons; McTavish, Rossiter, W. Rea, Bamby, Elks Club, Lethbridge; Leo, Luker, Warner; Doc Ciley, Scott, Calgary; J. O. Stewart, G. Stewart, Macleod; Paterson, Taber; Baker, Namaka; Gibbie, Carmanagay; A. N. Rea, Stavely; Chicoine, Michel; Mackie, Strathmore; Reid, Kennedy, Claresholm; Zeh, Burnis; Bond, Coaldale; Key, Creston; Hargreaves, Banff; Fontana, Champion.

Blairmore — Brown, Bonnie, Lawson, Morgan, Evans, Oliver, Carmichael, Dancy.

Coleman — Boulton, Leduc, Hogan, Jenkins, Roughton, Rinaldi, Kerr, Ryan.

Bellevue — Fisher, Sterba, Beal, Price, Nunn, Duncan, Ruymackers, Riva, Marcolin, Alexander, Ritchie, Jepson, Parker, Dugdale, Sickoff.

## Six Contestants for May Queen

The May Queen contest to be held in municipal hospital last week and should complete their work by the end of this week. Once construction advances in greater degree they will return to their job.

One of the boilers has been placed and a brick layer is busy in the preliminary stages of a large chimney. While the outside scene appears one of desolation it is a picture of activity inside the building.

Only one bricklayer was on the job Tuesday afternoon but a gang of bricklayers was expected to arrive at the site on Wednesday having come from Saskatoon. Apparently the high wages paid in the Pass district is working a hardship on the contractor as he finds it difficult to secure local unskilled labor and a gang of seven men is expected to arrive from Calgary to help with construction work.

Much detail work has been done and the building should advance rapidly just as soon as weather conditions permit comfortable outside working conditions.

You can't paint on your face the joy you don't have in your heart.

## Mrs. Hadfield Passes

Mrs. Maria Hadfield, aged 88, formerly Coleman oldtimer passed away January 12 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. Gillette, of Bedford.

Mrs. Hadfield and family first arrived in Coleman in 1905 from Canmore and Mr. Hadfield built the two-story house at present occupied by Ernest Kennedy on Third street. They also later resided in the John Clarke two-story building on Sixth street. Mrs. Hadfield was a strong supporter of the Victoria Rebekah lodge. Mr. Hadfield, who pre-deceased his wife in 1943, was a fireboss at International for many years. He died at Piton, NS. In 1928 they moved to eastern Canada and Mrs. Hadfield had been residing with her daughter prior to her last illness.

In addition to Mrs. Gillette, three sons survive, Mayor Enoch Williams of Blairmore, Herb, who will be remembered as a clerk to the late Howard C. McBurney in the latter's drug store and who now resides at Nevis, Alberta and Joe, a resident of Richmond, California.

## Plumbers on Job at Municipal Hospital

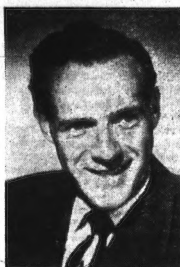
Plumbers twelve strong were busy installing pipe throughout the new municipal hospital last week and should complete their work by the end of this week. Once construction advances in greater degree they will return to their job.

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RUSS TITUS

Popular Toronto baritone, whose lively ballad interpretations are featured in "Singalong" a program of the latest song and dance tunes, broadcast Tuesdays and Thursdays at 11:45 a.m. MST, on the CBC Trans-Canada network. Veteran theatre and night singer, Titus is well known to radio listeners here and in the United States through broadcasts on both sides of the border. During the second Great War he was a member of the Canadian Army Show.

## Protest Legislation

Re amendments to the Alberta Labor Act tabled in the legislature on March 19th by Hon. C. E. Gerhart and establishing penalties for "illegal" strikes.

These amendments will be condemned by the labor movement and all honest labor leaders. Penalizing workers and their unions for strike action is an attack on the most fundamental right of labor—the right to strike. This piece of legislation is on a par with the infamous Telford-Hartley law in the United States and Bill 39 in British Columbia. It is really aimed at the suppression of the trade union movement by dictatorial methods.

The present Alberta Labor Act is already so heavily biased in favor of the employers that it operates against any union that complies with its long drawn out procedure. These new amendments are a further endeavor to completely tie the hands of labor. Coming on the heels of the outright refusal of the government to meet labor's demands on compensation they only add insult to injury.

This is the most brazen piece of anti-labor legislation yet introduced by the Social Credit government. It is another proof of the fact that this government has sold out body and soul to big business, the oil interests, coal operators, lumber bosses etc.

Labor must rise in a mighty wave of protest to defeat this dangerous bill, to let the government know that Alberta workers will not tolerate such anti-labor legislation.

It will now be clear to all workers that the Social Credit government must be kicked out of office in the coming provincial elections. Any worker who today votes Social Credit is voting for the boss, against his own union and against his own best interests. Every Social Credit MLA representing an industrial constituency must be defeated by a united labor vote and be replaced by a genuine representative of labor.

B. S. SWANEY,

Provincial Leader

Labour Progressive Party.

The following resolution was unanimously passed at public meetings held in Blairmore and Bellevue, Sun. March 21st. Tim Buck national leader of the Labor-Progressive Party and Ben Swankey, provincial leader addressed the meetings.

"Whereas the provincial government has introduced legislation penalizing workers and their unions for strike action, and

Whereas this is an attack on the most fundamental right of labor, the

## In The Legislature

By E.O. Duke

The Debate on the Budget has concluded and the House has spent considerable time on the Committee as a whole, considering the budget estimates and Bills presently before it. A number of resolutions have been introduced, including one moved by Mr. Ward of the Navy, and seconded by Mr. Taylor of Drumheller, requesting that the present basic \$75.00 per month for total disability pensions be increased to \$100.00 basic for veterans suffering 100 per cent disability. The Dominion government is proposing to increase the basic to \$87.00 per month. It was argued that unskilled men are earning more than this and that this was not fit pay for veterans who have rendered such service as that given to our disabled veterans.

Dr. W. W. Cross gave the House much information regarding his department. He told the Assembly that Alberta now has 7.3 hospital beds per thousand patients, and that 7.3 is supposed to be the maximum number required. Hospital grants were increased last year from 45 cents to 70 cents a day; free maternity hospitalization last year cost \$700,000.00; nearly twice as many patients were examined and treated for cancer as in any previous year. New buildings at the Red Deer Mental Institution will accommodate 150 patients, and more construction is anticipated this year at Ponoka and Oliver. There were 124,000 people checked last year for tuberculosis and 742 patients were treated. The number of new cases discovered was 17 per cent less than in 1946, which shows that this disease is on the decrease. A new sanatorium will be built this year in Edmonton; the free blood transfusion service, started in summer of 1947, made possible by the Department of Health, the Red Cross, and the citizens who donate blood, proved very successful. Six thousand patients were given blood transfusions in six months; it will necessitate 3,000 volunteer donors a month to keep up the necessary blood pool. A Bill, known as the Blue Cross Bill, has been introduced; it will not interfere with the hospitalization services provided by the municipal hospitals, but will give citizens living in areas not organized an opportunity to enter into the pre-paid scheme. At the same time, it will give an opportunity for anyone else to enter into the pre-paid scheme, which aims to give hospitalization anywhere in the world.

Changes in the Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act now read: "That a vehicle, other than one used by a fireman, a policeman or as an ambulance can carry red lights or flashing lights other than clearance or signalling lights. It established a speed limit of 55 miles an hour and 45 miles an hour when lights are needed. Speed limits will be set in designated highway areas under construction or repair, and signs will be erected indicating the speed there. Any motor vehicle commencing to pass another vehicle must now sound its horn. Bicyclists and other slow-moving vehicles must keep to the extreme right side of the travelled road; and although cyclists and motorcyclists or horsemen may ride two abreast, upon being overtaken they are required to travel in single file as near to the right side of the highway as conditions permit.

right to strike, and is an attempt to tie the hands of labor.

Therefore be it resolved that this public meeting demands that the government immediately drop this dictatorial piece of anti-labor legislation, and

Be it further resolved that we demand that the government amend the Alberta Labor Act as recommended by the provincial CCL convention last November.

## EMPLOYERS MUST OBTAIN NEW UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BOOKS

All Unemployment Insurance Books now in use expire on March 31st, 1948.

New books will be issued by the National Employment Office to employers, but only when old books are completed and turned in to the Office.

Employers are urged to exchange Unemployment Insurance Books promptly at March 31st.

Penalties are provided for failure to comply.

## UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE COMMISSION

C. A. L. MURCHISON,

J. G. BISSON,

B. J. TALLON,

Commissioners.

U.I.C.

## The Trans-Canada Highway

FOR MANY YEARS THERE HAS BEEN considerable interest in this country in the completion of an up-to-date highway, linking Canada from the East to the West coasts. There are some parts of the present trans-Canada highway which compare favorably with any roads to be found on this continent, but in other sections it falls far short of modern standards for all-weather highways. Canada is a very large country, and the trans-continental highways must, of necessity, pass through many miles of sparsely-populated land, where there would be little other than long-distance traffic. The construction of modern, hard-surfaced roads requires a great deal of labor and involves the expenditure of large sums of money. During the war, and in the years which have followed, labor has been scarce and conditions have not been favorable to commencing a road project of the extent of a coast-to-coast highway.

### Many Favor Such A Road

There are, however, many who favor the building of such a road as soon as conditions are opportune for such an undertaking. Recently, a delegation representing the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, waited upon the Honorable J. G. Glen, Dominion Minister of Mines and Resources in connection with this matter, and informed him that the Chamber of Commerce believes that the present trans-Canada road facilities are inadequate. "A modern, hard-surfaced highway would be a great asset in helping to unify the United States and Canada, increasing tourist traffic, and for purposes of national defense," the spokesman for the delegation stated. The completion of an up-to-date highway system from the Atlantic to the Pacific by Federal and Provincial governments, to be undertaken when conditions are favorable, was advocated by these delegates on behalf of their organization.

### An Advantage To Canada

It has been pointed out frequently by interested organizations such as the Chamber of Commerce, that it would be to the advantage of the whole of Canada to build and maintain a fine highway across the country. Tourists have become the basis of a new and flourishing industry here, and good roads have come to be recognized as not only a convenience to the local population, but also as a source of revenue from tourist traffic. At present there is no direct connection between Eastern and Western Canada by means of a first-class motor road, and as a result, much money is lost to this country each year because motorists travelling between the East and the West must travel a considerable part of the way in the United States, if they are to have a hard-surfaced highway all the way. The building of an up-to-date trans-Canada highway would undoubtedly be a great asset to the country and it is to be hoped that it may be completed as soon as conditions are opportune for such an undertaking.

### 76,738 Homes Built In Canada In 1947

OTTAWA.—An estimated number of 76,738 dwelling units were completed in Canada during 1947, the Dominion bureau of statistics announced.

This brings the total number of dwelling units completed in the first three post-war years to almost 200,000, the bureau said. In 1947 74 per cent. of the dwelling units were built in metropolitan and other urban municipalities.

The earliest libraries were probably temples.

### SLEEP...and awake Refreshed

If you don't sleep well—If nights are interrupted by restlessness—If you wake up tired—If your kidneys are out of order and failing to cleanse the blood of poisons and excess acids—your rest is likely suffering too. Then is the time to use **Dodd's Kidney Pills**. Dodd's help your kidneys get rid of trouble-making poisons and acids—help restore them to normal action. See how much better you feel in the morning. Get and use Dodd's Kidney Pills today. 145

### Dodd's Kidney Pills

With a record of 50 years as most satisfactory treatment for piles or hemorrhoids, you can positively depend on **Dr. Chase's Ointment**

### HOT FLASHES?

Are you going thru the functional "middle-aged" period peculiar to women (38-52 yrs.)? Does this make you suffer from hot flashes, too hot, nervous, high-strung, tired? Then try **LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S** Vegetable Compound. It is a reliable, safe, and effective remedy for relieving all these symptoms. Apply as directed. You will find that what Doctors call a stomachic tonic effect.

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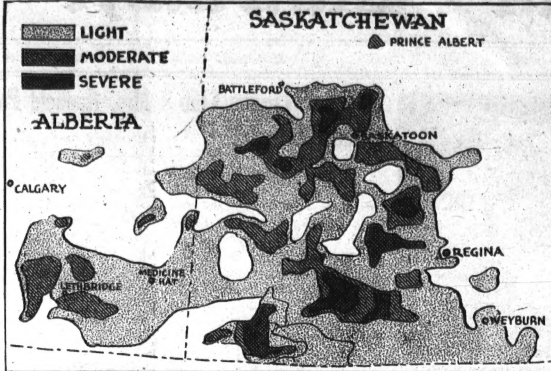
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## Grasshopper "Storm" Signals Are Out



The above map shows predicted grasshopper infestations in Saskatchewan and Alberta next summer, and indicates the relative severity of the attacks in different areas.

PERIODICALLY, Canada's Prairie Grain belt is devastated by severe grasshopper plagues. Before federal and provincial entomologists started to study this particular pest, farmers had little knowledge or advance notice of these scourges, but today much is known and farmers are warned in advance when extra severe outbreaks are expected.

This year, entomologists of the Dominion Department of Agriculture at laboratories in Lethbridge, Saskatoon and Brandon, and in co-operation with the provincial entomologists, have mapped out the areas where serious hordes of grasshoppers can be expected to attack farmers' grain crops.

In the accompanying map, the areas

in which outbreaks will be severe, moderate and light, are shown for the western half of Saskatchewan and the lower part of Alberta. There are also a few areas in Manitoba where a light emergence of grasshoppers is expected, but it is in Saskatchewan that the worst outbreaks are feared.

With the provincial authorities in the lead, farmers both in Saskatchewan and Alberta can do much to ward off the worst effects of these grasshopper outbreaks. Poison bait will be available through municipalities and local improvement districts, and there will also be leaflets as well as bait supplies and instructions available from your agricultural representative. Farmers themselves must

get busy and organize in preparation for bait spreading and should watch for the hatching reports from district officials.

The above map was supplied by the Dominion Entomological Office, Lethbridge, Alta. Rainfall will have some bearing on the damage.

### Canadian Maple Trees Planted At Nurses' Rest Home In Britain

VANCOUVER.—Three maple trees, flown from Canada were planted by Princess Alice when she officially opened a nurses' rest home in Britain. Many of the furnishings for this retreat in the country for nurses injured during the last war, were provided by nurses in this Dominion.

This was described by Miss Grace M. Fairley when she spoke to Women's Auxiliary to Vancouver General Hospital recently.

The Canadian Nurses' Association has contributed \$20,000 as a rehabilitation fund for British civilian nurses unable to carry on. Some have received courses to refit them for earning their own living; others have been varied help.

### Canada's War Book Started

OTTAWA.—Preparation of Canada's Second World War book of remembrance—a detailed, precise task expected to take five years—has been started here by Lt.-Cmdr. Allan D. Beddoe, 54-year-old sailor-artist.

The book will contain some 45,000 names of fallen Canadian service men, compared with 66,651 names in the First World War book, now in the quiet sanctuary of the Memorial Chamber in the parliament buildings' peace tower.

No decision has been made on the ultimate location of the second book. The memorial chamber, a small peaceful room of which the first book is the centre, is devoted wholly to the deeds of Canada's First World War forces. Its solid, intricately-carved stone work depicting First World War scenes and emblems might not easily be altered to accommodate tokens of the recent conflict.

The first book took 10 years to complete, the work being delayed by the death of the artist when he had only one of the 600-odd pages illuminated.

Lt.-Cmdr. Beddoe, who completed the decoration of the first book, is in charge of the new work.

He served with the R.C.N.V.R. during the Second World War.

The first part of his new work—compilation of a card series on which appear the names to be inscribed in the book by hand—is under way. The names will be listed by year of death.

The new book, about 450 pages will be of rare vellum, a sheepskin material manufactured in England. The first 100 sheets already have been received here.

The exact boundaries of Saudi Arabia are indefinite, but the country contains more than 800,000 square miles.

### STOPS HEADACHE

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GENUINE S.A. MARK

THE TILLERS

PAW, WHEN ARE YOU GOING TO TURN THAT LIGHT OUT SO I CAN GO TO SLEEP?

I HAVE A COUPLE OF BOOKS I WANT TO LOOK AT FIRST.

WELL, AS LONG AS YOU'RE LOOKING AT BOOKS, I MAY AS WELL LOOK AT SOME, TOO!

OH, THE MAIL ORDER CATALOG AND YOUR CHECKBOOK

HUH?

**CLICK**

## U.S. Population Now 145,340,000

WASHINGTON.—The United States population reached a high of 145,340,000 at the start of this year after 1947 proved the biggest single year of growth in history. A record number of babies, 3,908,000 were born in 1947.

Continuance of a low death rate and a net immigration of about 215,000 persons also helped the net boost last year.

### LEFTOVERS TRANSFORMED



Last night's leftover roast makes tonight's "Magic" Meat Rolls

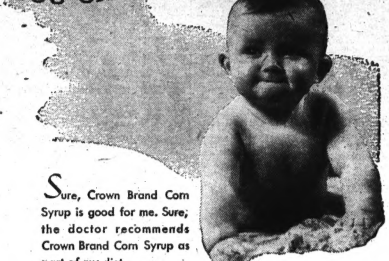
3 lbs. salt butter  
1 cup chopped leftover meat  
2 lbs. chopped onions  
2 cups flour  
4 tps. Magic Baking Powder  
1/2 tsp. salt  
1 cup milk, or half milk and water  
Mix meat, onion, butter. Sift together dry ingredients, mix in shortening; add liquid to make soft dough. Turn on floured board, knead lightly. Roll 1/4 inch thick, spread with meat mixture. Roll into jelly roll, cut in slices. Bake on brown sheet in hot oven (375°F.) for about 15 minutes. Serve with tomato sauce.

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BUT—why tie it down to me?

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You can't kid me, mom, Crown Brand Corn Syrup is good for all of us!



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—By Les Carroll

# New Traffic Gadget Clocks Speed Of Cars Passing It On Busy Roadways

(By HAROLD KEEN, Central Press Canadian)

San Diego, Cal.—For years, policemen and highway safety engineers have struggled with the problem of estimating the speed of an approaching vehicle without having to swing around and follow it through hazardous traffic.

Today, R. B. Luckenbach, California division of highways safety engineer, believes he has the solution. To determine how fast an oncoming car is travelling, he need only place a gadget-filled suitcase by the side of the road, flick a switch and let electronics do the rest.

When an auto zips by, a hand spins on a speedometer-type dial and points to the speed with pinpoint accuracy, according to Luckenbach, who inspired the design of the new apparatus.

Luckenbach is putting the device into operation here to improve safety on highways. In California such evidence as furnished by his "electronic eye" cannot be used in court to convict a speeder.

After designing a highway on the basis of known safety factors that limit the legal maximum speed to 35 miles an hour, for example, Luckenbach can use his "magic meter" to clock the average speed of traffic.

If he finds that cars are travelling at 40 or more miles an hour, and that the rate of accidents is extremely low, he knows that his safety factors ought to be revised. Also, he can recommend posting of higher speed signs.

The reverse situation, of course, applies if the accident rate at 35 miles an hour is unusually high. However, the important thing is to determine how fast traffic actually is travelling, and that's where the electronic eye fits into the safety picture.

The device also is used for measuring average speed between traffic signals so that they may be set to provide a smooth flow of cars at a safe pace. Time lengths between signal changes vary with the time of day. These can be determined by measurements of speeds in correlation with traffic volume.

What happens to traffic when a motorcycle officer suddenly appears on the scene? Luckenbach has measured the psychological effect of this phenomenon.

"The average motorist slows down 10 miles an hour when he notices a policeman on the highway," he says.

An engineering firm developed the electronic eye for Luckenbach at his request. Its engineer, John Barker, tackled the problem in the sonic field. At first echoes from buildings and hills interfered with the sound waves which the meter was to record.

Eventually Barker overcame the difficulty. The meter now is essentially a broadcasting and receiving

When the switch is turned on, the needle begins dancing across the dial, recording the speed of each passing car by use of the "Doppler principle".

This is best understood by comparison with the whistle of an approaching locomotive. The closer it gets, the higher the whistle pitch becomes. This is because the sound waves are shortening. Then, as the locomotive passes and moves toward the opposite horizon, the whistle tone grows deeper as the sound waves lengthen.

Electronic waves reflected from a moving vehicle do the same. The faster the car approaches, the more rapidly do the sound waves shorten. The speed meter calibrates this change and shows the result in miles per hour.

As though he were a "ham" radio operator, Luckenbach had to get his electronic eye licensed by the federal communications commission. He has a call letter, W6XVD, and operates on 2,455 megacycles.

Two other boxes have complex electronics equipment and a quadrant dial. All are linked by electric cables, one of which is clamped to an automobile's electric system for power.

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**BEF BREEDERS CONFERENCE**—Prominent in the various sessions of the Edmonton Beef Breeders conferences were, left to right: Lyle W. Robinson, Vermilion, president of the Alberta Shorthorn Club; His Worship Mayor Anley, of Edmonton; and C. C. Matthews, Calgary, who presided over the joint meeting of all three Breed Associations.

## Polymyxin, Powerful New Germ-Killer Cures Dangerous Infections

BALTIMORE—Successful clinical use of a new powerful germ-killer, Polymyxin, is described by John Hopkins hospital physicians. They report cures of undulant fever, whooping cough and other dangerous infections.

Beyond that, the drug may lead to mankind's final triumph over an ancient curse—Bubonic plague. It will be sent to India to determine how it works against the Black Death, they said.

Typhoid and paratyphoid fever, certain wound infections, types of meningitis, various urinary tract infections, tularemia (rabbit fever), blood poisoning, and bacillary dysentery also are among diseases against which the doctors found Polymyxin "uniquely effective".

The drug is derived from bacillus polymyxus. This is an organism commonly found in soil, water, sewage and mud, the doctors said. It is not yet available for general clinical use.

A nine-year-old boy, near death from a skin eruption with a secondary infection, was the first human to be treated with the new drug.

Physicians injected it in the form of a white powder under his skin. He was well in eight days.

One big advantage polymyxin has over the other recent "wonder drugs" is that the germs it attacks do not develop a resistance to it.

## GARDEN NOTES

### LAYOUT

For the average layout around the home, it is advisable to use a combination of vines, shrubbery, trees, perennial flowers and the latter planted in clumps, make the better background. In front of this, groups of smaller shrubs and larger perennial flowers can be planted with the room between, especially when the shrubbery is still small, filled in with clumps of annuals. Along the front tiny edging plants are used, then will come a pick of ground cover. The clumps rather than straight rows and a wavy edge along the front of the bed is preferred to straight edges. In the foreground, of course, will be the lawn, the shrubbery acting as the main frame for the general picture.

### Good Equipment Helps

With a small garden all the tools needed are a rake, a hoe and a spade or digging fork. These are minimum requirements. With a little more equipment much labor can be saved. Digging forks, cultivators, special weeder, ditch hoes, etc., will make the work easier and more interesting. For larger gardens a small tractor, tractor that will cultivate, plow, etc., might be considered. They are not expensive and are very cheaply operated. One can get all sorts of attachments to go with them—lawn mowers, cultivators, mowers for cutting tall grass and weeds—even snowplows.

A sharp hoe or cultivator will speed the work. It is a good plan to wipe off all dirt between operations, and a little oil or grease smeared on the shiny surfaces is recommended.

### Main Vegetable Groups

Vegetables divide themselves into three main planting groups—hardy, medium and tender. The first are planted just as soon as the soil can be prepared regardless of the weather ahead. They will stand a little frost and must make the first growth while the weather is still cool and wet. In this class are peas, the first onions, carrots and beets, radish, spinach and lettuce. Make the first planting just as soon as the soil has worked up nicely and is no longer muddy. Make a practice of sowing beets, radish, spinach, carrots, etc., at least three times, about two weeks apart.

Next are semi-hardy things like potatoes, the first corn, beans and cabbage, which will stand cool weather but very little frost. Next come the tender things that can stand no frost at all such as melons, cucumbers, tomatoes, pumpkins. Do not plant these until both soil and air are warm.

## PARCELS NOT BARRED TO PALESTINE FORCES

OTTAWA—The suspension of parcel post to Palestine Feb. 28 will not affect gift parcels sent to members of the British armed forces in Palestine or members of the Palestine police force, the Post office Department announced.

The department said that gift parcels limited to 20 pounds will be accepted here and transmitted to the United Kingdom where they will be routed to Palestine through British military postal facilities.

Moroccan children of the 17th century were not allowed to eat candy because it was considered a warrior's food.

## X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X

### HORIZONTAL

1 Turkish officer

5 Bleniah

9 Excavation

12 Red eagle

13 Sheet of

14 Cover glass

16 Feminine name

20 Compass point

26 Part of plant

27 Street of London

30 Sympetrum

32 Sodium

33 Decayed

34 Intoxicated

37 Party of

38 Period of

39 Before

40 Coin (fr.)

42 Beams

43 Pacific island

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50 Hebrew letter

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65 Unusual

67 High

68 Symbol for

69 Calcium

70 Cover (fr.)

71 Anglo-baxon

72 Coin (fr.)

73 Human deity

74 Pan

75 Writing table

76 Fruit of an

77 Asiatic tree

78 To examine

79 Notice

80 Heavy file

81 Storage bin for

82 Vodka

83 Caking compound

84 Dreadful

85 To corrupt

86 Positive pole

87 To settle with

88 A number

89 To wash away

90 Preparation

91 North Syrian

92 deity

93 Bene

94 Canine

## WORLD HAPPENINGS

### BRIEFLY TOLD

Banning of the Communist party will be urged in the South African house of assembly by Dr. D. F. Malan, Nationalist opposition leader.

Britain is accelerating the repatriation of German prisoners of war. All except those who choose to remain will have left by the end of July.

A five cent stamp issued in Vancouver Island in 1865 with no perforation was sold in Bond street, London, for five hundred pounds recently.

Dartmouth Naval College, where many British naval officers are trained, will open its doors next September to any 16-year-old boy who has the required ability.

Senator Ian Mackenzie, former Canadian minister of veterans affairs, will receive an honorary degree of doctor of laws at the University of Edinburgh July 2.

Canada's gross debt at last January 31 was \$17,327,820,956, compared to \$3,540,237,614 at March 31, 1938, the government said in a return tabled in the Commons.

Houghton Mifflin Company, Boston, publishers, have announced that Winston Churchill, former Prime Minister of Britain, had completed the first volume of his Second World War memoirs, and had delivered the 250,000-word manuscript.

LONDON—Princess Elizabeth and her husband Prince Philip will not occupy Clarence House, their bomb-damaged London residence, until Britain's ministry of works finishes repairing it. The work will take about a year.

CLASSMATES  
Henry Wadsworth Longfellow and Nathaniel Hawthorne were classmates at Bowdoin college, Brunswick, Maine.

## Motorcar Industry Breaking All Records

Britain is exporting more cars than ever before in the 50-year history of the motor industry. In 1940, the monthly rate was 7,200, in 1947, 11,900. In January of this year, it rose to 16,000 or 67% of output. This was apart from the 5,000 commercial vehicles and buses exported.

## WAR MEDALS TO COST CANADA \$2,500,000

OTTAWA—The government estimates it will cost \$2,500,000 for war campaign stars and medals in the next fiscal year.

The estimate said the figure included the cost of distribution.

Humming birds construct exquisite nests of shreds of bark, soft grass or cottony substances. 2769

## Oddities In News — This Is It!

Farmer Sheldon Anton at Cedar Rapids, Ia., was announced to find 18 inches of a broomstick protruding between the ribs of one of his Holstein cows. The cow, purchased at a sale last fall, had not been doing well and a short time ago developed an abscess on her side. It ruptured and the broomstick popped out. How the stick got into the cow's stomach remained a mystery.

The continent of Australia has an area of 2,974,381 square miles.

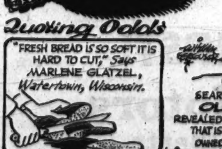
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## F.I.L.A. Loans Farmers 31 Millions Without Loss

The Farm Improvement Loans Act  
has loaned \$31,381,742 to the farmers  
of Canada through 39,387 loans from  
the chartered banks of Canada since  
1915.

This information was contained in  
the 1947 report of the Act which was  
tabled in the House of Commons Mon-  
day by Hon. Douglas Abbott mini-  
ster of finance.

For the third consecutive year no  
losses or claims have accrued to the  
Government in the loaning operations  
of this Act designed to assist farmers  
in making farm improvements through  
intermediate and short term loans.

During 1947 loans made to 22,  
116 farmers for a total volume of \$18,  
032,115. This represents an increase of  
millions over last year and 16 mil-  
lions over the loaning in 1945 during  
the first 10 months of the Act.

Eighty-three per cent of all loans  
made in 1947 were for the purchase of  
farm implements. These loans totalled  
\$5,211,231, representing an estimated  
retail value of \$25,340,628. The re-  
port states that 30 per cent of all

tractors and combines sold in Canada  
were financed under the act. It is point-  
ed out that these loans, together with  
regular bank loans, are responsible  
for a major change in recent years in  
traditional method of financing farm  
implement purchases, and it is sug-  
gested that this change "should find  
recognition in distribution costs and  
hence in price of farm implements."

F.I.L.A. facilitated the loaning of  
more than one and a half million dol-  
lars for farm building in 1947, of which  
22 per cent was for new farm homes.  
The amount represented for the erec-  
tion of new farm dwellings exceeded  
\$488,000 through 387 loans.

Loans for the construction of farm  
utility buildings in 1947, however, were  
twice the number as those for new  
homes. Almost 900 loans were made  
to the amount of \$950,000 for the con-  
struction of new barns, sheds and vari-  
ous other types of farm utility build-  
ings.

The report states that one of the  
primary objectives of F.I.L.A. has  
been to make available to farmers and  
land settlers funds for their use in  
developing new agricultural areas.

In 1947 farmers throughout Canada  
secured 1,356 loans to an amount of  
\$522,344 for the purpose of clearing  
and breaking new land. As a result of  
this loaning 68,693 acres of land hereto-  
fore unemployed were put to crop  
usage.

Since the inception of the Act 2,462  
loans have been effected, which total  
\$910,500 for the purpose of clearing  
and breaking new land resulting in a  
total of 123,860 acres of new farm land.

The loaning in 1947 by provinces is  
shown below. Province, No. of Loans  
and Amount respectively:

Alberta 8,169 \$6,537,872.92; Sask-  
atchewan 7,798 \$6,464,263.64; Manitoba  
3,237 \$2,518,362.19; Ontario 1,876  
\$1,845,830.86; British Columbia 525  
\$444,078.50; Quebec 315 \$246,366.81;  
Nova Scotia 36 \$45,233.20; New Brun-  
swick 55 \$46,392.35; Prince Edward  
Island 15 \$1,431.00; total number of  
loans 22,046; total amount of loans  
\$18,032,115.

A society woman rushed up to a  
famous instrumentalist after a concert  
and said: "I hear your wife has just  
given birth to twins. Isn't it wonder-  
ful? How do you feel?"

Promptly the musician replied: Ma-  
dam, I feel as though I had received  
two fees for one performance—Irvine  
Hoffman.

"A young and nervous clergyman  
was about to preach his first sermon.  
He stood in the vestry fingering his  
collar and wondering if his hair was  
tidy. He noticed there was no mirror  
on the wall.

"Could you get me a glass?" he  
whispered to the verger.

"I'll do my best," said the man. The  
young clergyman waited patiently.

Presently the verger returned with  
something under his coat. "I managed  
to get a whole bottle," said the ver-  
ger, "by using your name."

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**BLEEDING WOUNDS** — Bleeding in spurts indicates severing of an artery. Steady flow indicates a vein has been cut. Bleeding from an artery should be stopped by applying pressure of the thumb, a compress or cloth pad over the artery at a point between the bleeding wound and the heart. In bleeding from a vein (steady flow), pressure should be applied on the side away from the heart. Where bleeding is not severe, a compress over the open wound should be sufficient. If bleeding is very severe, tourniquet may be made by tying handkerchief, cloth, belt, strap or neck-tie around the part over compress and using small stick, pencil, or similar article with which to twist and tighten. Do not twist too hard, just enough to stop bleeding. Loosen every twenty minutes to let a little blood escape. Keep the part elevated.

**SHOCK** — Lay patient flat on back with head low, unless head is bleeding. Remove false teeth, gum or tobacco from mouth. Keep patient warm. Give stimulants such as aromatic spirits of ammonia in water, hot coffee, tea, or water. Do not give stimulant to unconscious patients, or one who may have internal bleeding.

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Since then two big changes have taken place. Firstly, exemptions have been reduced; secondly wage levels have greatly increased. The result of these changes is that today the vast majority of Canadians pay income tax. And because the vast majority of Canadians pay income tax they support the government's efforts to plug leaks and track down evaders.

But a good thing can be carried too far. Incometax officials have started paying special attention to waiters, waitresses, porters, bellhops, barbers, taxi-drivers and such—all the people who receive tips in addition to their salaries. The idea is to make them pay income tax on their full receipts—salary plus tips.

This raises a knotty problem. How much, in the way of tips, does a waiter, porter or taxi-driver get in the course of a year? Does the individual know himself? Since there's no way of finding out it's reported that the income tax officials may arbitrarily set tips at 10 per cent of salary. That at least, is what has been done in the case of a Winnipeg cabbie.

We don't see how this can possibly work out with any degree of fairness. The waitress in one restaurant may get \$500 a year in tips; the waitress in another may be lucky to see the occasional nickel. Again, tips may vary greatly—depending on luck, looks and location—between different waitresses working for the same wage in the same restaurant.

Porters and bellhops, barbers and taxi-drivers, are in the same situation. Their tip revenue bears no relation to their salary; it is determined by varying factors, which are never exactly the same for any two of them. It is possible—though nobody really knows—that all these people, as a class get

tips averaging 10 per cent of their salary. But income tax cannot and should not be levied on the basis of averages. We recognize and applaud the determination of the government to make everyone pay tax on his full income. The amount of that income,

however, should be determined by proof, not by conjecture. Better the government should lose a little revenue than assess taxes by guesswork.

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**NATIVES ARE MADE VITAMIN CONSCIOUS**—New Guinea natives are food conscious, anxious to know the best foods to eat for health, Margaret McArthur, girl member of an Australian scientific expedition, reports. Diet staples include sago, grubs, yams.



**MOVE INDIAN VILLAGE FROM BRANTFORD FOR SPORTSMEN'S SHOW**—A whole Indian camp moved from the Six Nations reserve at Brantford, Ont., to the Canadian National Sportsmen's show in Toronto. Little Beaver, (centre), is a lacrosse stick expert and his companions are



Lookout and Wild Horse. Head of the village is Chief Gray Skye, (right). The group brought tepees, skinning blocks, cooking pot and other equipment right into the show.



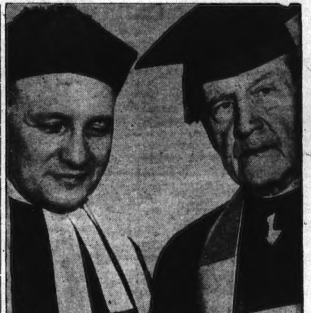
**NO WONDER** these two black cats are intrigued with yards and yards of sausage! This picture was taken as Mrs. Harry Newton and daughter Mary were bringing home the pork sausage made from the trimmings of one hog.



**BARBARA ANN SHARES THE LIMELIGHT**—Ace interviewer, when Barbara Ann Scott met press in Montreal, was Martin MacDonald, 12, seeking a job on community centre paper. The grinning young newspaperman managed to gain almost as much attention as Barbara Ann as he confidently questioned her regarding her future. Happiness above everything is the ambition of the smiling ice queen. Ottawa, Barbara Ann's home town, accorded her a civic welcome when Prime Minister King was on hand to greet her.



**Mrs. Leo Emery And Prov. Coss, A. I. Robertson**  
**APPEAL CHILD ABANDONING DECISION**—Defence counsel are preparing to appeal conviction of Mrs. Edna Emery and her husband, Leo Emery of Ottawa, on charges of failing to provide for their children. The magistrate sentenced the 29-year-old mother to the Mercer reformatory for women in Toronto for five months. The father, Leo Emery, is to go to the Ontario reformatory at Guelph for five months definite and one month indefinite.



**SEES JEWISH HOMELAND WITHIN YEAR**—Despite every lamentable British obstacle and despite the inadequate concern of my own government, the new Jewish state will be established in Palestine before the end of the year, stated Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, New York, president of the World Jewish Congress. Dr. Wise, shown at right, was interviewed in Toronto, Ont., where he installed Rabbi Maurice L. Perla, (left), in his new congregation.



**REVEAL MIRACLE TREATMENT FOR INSANE**—A new radical and near-miracle surgical technique for treating "incurable" mental patients was revealed recently by doctors at the Western Washington State hospital in Seattle, Wash. The new method, called trans-orbital lobotomy, has already been performed on 41 patients at the hospital, with "very worthwhile" changes in 80 per cent. of the cases treated. Here, Drs. W. S. Keller (seated), hospital superintendent; James C. Shanklin (centre), and Charles R. Jones, who have performed the new operation, look over before and after pictures of patients who have undergone the new surgical treatment.



**CHILD GIVES ALARM**—Timely discovery of a blaze by nine-year-old Carol Brammer, Toronto, Ont., gave nine occupants of a three-storey house time to see the burning structure. Carol's father, Edwin Brammer, raced upstairs through billowing smoke and rescued Mrs. Nellie Segriff, a cripple, from her second-storey room. Carol is shown here with her mother.



**BRITAIN COMPLETES WITHDRAWAL OF POWER FROM INDIA**—King's and regimental colors are dipped in salute to India as the last serving battalion, the First Battalion Somerset Light Infantry, marches in farewell parade in Bombay before embarking on the Empress of Australia for voyage home. The troops are marching into the Gateway of India. The sub-continent now is two dominions, India and Pakistan.



**JEWISH HADASSAH HOSPITAL ATTACKED BY ARABS**—This is the Jewish Hadassah hospital in Jerusalem, Palestine, which was attacked by a large party of Arabs, touching off a battle in which two Arabs were killed and 14 Arabs and Jews were wounded. The battle was marked by a series of heavy explosions, which resulted from the use of mortar bombs by the opposing forces.



**MAKING FRIENDS**—The farmer in this picture is practicing the "Make Friends of Your Figs" advice given by an expert wiseman to an Ontario meeting recently. Handled carefully and kindly from their early days the young shoots will grow into bulky carcasses to fill bacon contracts profitable to growers.



**PASSENGER TRAIN CRASHES INTO STANDING FREIGHT**—Bud Hayes, trainman, (left), was thrown through glass door, suffered slight shock when Toronto-Detroit flyer hit a standing freight near Thamesville, Ont. Passengers were shaken up. Four box cars were reduced to splintered wood by impact. Engine of crack train hit broken switch and plowed into freight. None of coaches was damaged.



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So this is your opportunity to protest against the extension of the monopoly. You were not given an opportunity to protest against the wheat monopoly. But you CAN AND SHOULD make protest now. Those who favour the monopoly are working tooth and nail to get control over your grain. You must fight against them with all your might.

IF YOU DON'T PROTEST NOW, and your neighbours, of like mind, don't protest now, you may have only yourself to blame. Provincial Legislatures may fall in line with Parliament and all those dependent upon grain growing for a living will be absolutely in the power of political pressure groups and so-called "farm leaders".

The Winnipeg Grain Exchange has endeavored to show wheat growers what monopoly has cost them. Controlling prices for wheat was a war measure. Nobody grumbled about that. But the monopoly was extended to peace times without even asking the consent of wheat growers, who, as a result, have lost hundreds of millions of dollars. They shouldered the burden, instead of it being paid by ALL THE TAXPAYERS.

If the Government monopoly is extended to oats and barley another link will be forged in the grain grower's Chain of Bondage.

**YOU SHOULD LOOK AHEAD**

It is the future, not the past, that is now most important to farmers. Think of the dangers that threaten you. No man, and no group, is WISE enough or GOOD enough TO BE TRUSTED WITH UNRESTRICTED POWER. "All power tends to corrupt... absolute power, corrupts absolutely".

Your wheat is now marketed at POLITICAL PRICES and for POLITICAL PURPOSES. Oats and barley are subject to even more political pressure, and since VOTING POWER RESTS WITH CONSUMERS, there will be a constant political battle between producers and consumers... and PRODUCERS WILL BE THE LOSERS.

The Grain Exchange has done, and is doing all that it can to uphold the farmer's Freedom of Choice in selling his grain. Let those farmers who wish to sell through the Wheat Board do so; but demand the Right to sell your grain when, where and to whom you choose at prevailing market prices.

**IF YOU ARE OPPOSED TO GOVERNMENT  
MONOPOLY AND COMPELSION****ACT QUICKLY BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.**

Write at once, or, better still, WIRE your Member of Parliament at Ottawa and your Provincial Representative in Regina, Edmonton or Winnipeg. State your strong objection to extending Government monopoly to oats and barley. Tell him you want freedom to choose between selling to the Wheat Board or on the free and open market, whichever is most profitable to you. Get neighbours who agree with your views to do it. The more protests received, the better. This may be your last opportunity to help yourself and keep politics out of your grain. Let them ACT QUICKLY... OTHERWISE YOUR PROTEST WILL BE TOO LATE.

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**Local and General Items**

The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors entertained, parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas, showers, presentations, anniversaries, etc. Phone items in to 11 or hand them in at The Graphic office not later than Thursday evenings.

Speak well of your enemies; remember, you made them!

Mr. Allan Kmiecik, of Blairmore, is spending a few days in Calgary this week.

Mr. T. Hughes and his sister, of Beaver Mines are spending a few days with friends in Blairmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan and young daughter are spending the Easter holidays with relatives in Calgary.

A few drops of cod liver oil a day will help to save millions of undernourished children in Europe and Asia. Help by answering the Canadian appeal for Children.

Business is what, when you don't have any, you go out of.

Patrick Treanor, 83, 3004 Portland St., a resident of Calgary 35 years, died Tuesday in hospital. Born in Slogher, Ireland, Mr. Treanor had been a livestock dealer. Surviving are his widow, Jean, Calgary, and a nephew William J. Treanor, Calgary.

**EVERYBODY'S  
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by  
*Don Graham*

You'll find that you can gain prestige by letting other people know that you appreciate them.

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It follows that if you respond in this way, so will the other fellow. By making him feel that you appreciate something about him, you will go up in his estimation. Your relationships with him will be more cordial.

● But — be careful to avoid sheer flattery. This is easily detected and will have the opposite effect. Say only those favourable things which you can say sincerely.

Of all the ways to show your family how much you think of them, none is more practical than an adequate investment in life insurance. It brings priceless peace of mind both to them and you. And it is an investment which is so readily made by regular, systematic savings.

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